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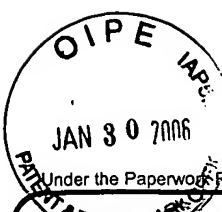
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First Named Inventor	Hepler et al.
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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
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Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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In the **PATENT** of:

Hepler et al.

Patent No.: 6,961,921

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For: PIPELINE ARCHITECTURE FOR
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Our File: I-2-0227.1US

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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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A Certificate of Correction under 35 U.S.C. §§ 254, 255 and 37 C.F.R. §§1.322, 1.323 is requested for U.S. Patent No. 6,961,921. Correction of the following errors is requested.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

At column 5, line 7, after the word "the", delete "significantly" and insert therefor --significant--.

At column 5, line 14, after the word "is", delete "3" and insert therefor --1/4--.

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At column 5, line 33, after the word "block", delete "24¹" and insert therefore
--24'--.

At column 5, line 35, after the word "memory", delete "32¹" and insert therefore
--32'--.

At column 5, line 35, after the word "block", delete "44¹" and insert therefore
--44'--.

At column 5, line 36, after the word "block", delete "46¹" and insert therefore
--46'--.

IN THE CLAIMS

In claim 1, at column 5, line 55, after the word "perform", delete "the".

REMARKS

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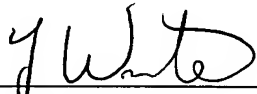
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Patentees respectfully request that the Certificate of Correction be issued.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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At column 5, line 35, after the word "block", delete "44'" and insert therefor
--44'--.

At column 5, line 36, after the word "block", delete "46'" and insert therefor
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In claim 1, at column 5, line 55, after the word "perform", delete "the".

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At column 5, line 35, after the word "memory", delete "321" and insert therefor --32'--.

At column 5, line 35, after the word "block", delete "441" and insert therefor --44'--.

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